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Surface Transportation Board Reconciliation Unit ATTN: Janice Fort 1925 K Street, Suite 1700 Washington, D.C. 20423 RECORDATION NO. 2113 FILED

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Dear Ms. Fort:

Please find enclosed our Cashier's Check no. 4813297424 in the amount of \$72.00 which represents the fee to record the enclosed documents in the name of Southern Illinois Railcar Company, L.L.C. Please record the enclosed documents (Assignment of Lease, Financing Statement and Notice of Security Interest and Memorandum of Assignment of Lease between Southern Illinois Railcar Company, L.L.C., with an address of 505 Buckeye Drive, Troy, IL 62294 and Rocky Mountain Transportation Services, with an address of 2460 West 26th, Suite 250 C, Denver, CO 80211) and return to my attention by using the enclosed postage-paid envelope. If you have any questions, please contact me at (618) 659-6288. Thank you for your help on this matter.

Sincerely,

Michele Laws, Loan Secretary to Daniel L. Abegg,

Assistant Vice President

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Enclosures

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MEMORANDUM OF ASSIGNMENT OF LEASE

This Memorandum of Assignment of Lease being made this 31st day of October, 1997, by and between SOUTHERN ILLINOIS RAILCAR COMPANY, L.L.C., the Assignor, and THE BANK OF EDWARDSVILLE, an Illinois Banking Corporation, as Assignee (The Bank),

Whereas, on _______, 1997, there was duly recorded with the Surface Transportation Board, Washington, D.C., a certain Memorandum of Lease, said Memorandum being assigned recordation number ______, and,

Whereas, the Lessor named therein, Southern Illinois Railcar Company, L.L.C., has since become indebted to The Bank by virtue of a certain promissory note and commercial security agreement dated October 31, 1997.

Now Therefore, Be It Known That, as security for the performance of the obligations incurred by its execution and delivery of the subject promissory note and commercial security agreement, the Assignor has transferred, set over, and assigned to The Bank of Edwardsville, all of its right, title and interest in and to that Lease subject of the above-cited Memorandum of

Lease and to all rentals, charges, claims for rentals and other monies due or to become due the Assignor arising from or generated thereby, the Assignor being shown as the Lessor in that said lease and Rocky Mountain Transportation Services, a Colorado corporation, being shown as the Lessee, the said lease bearing date of October 11, 1995.

By its terms, the subject Assignment of Lease is to remain in full force and effect until the payment of all sums due The Bank from the Assignor.

In Witness Whereof, the Assignor and The Bank have executed this Memorandum as documentation of the terms so contained on the day and year first above written.

Assignor

SOUTHERN ILLINOIS RAILCAR

COMPANY, L.L.C.

FRED L. PARSONS

Its Manager

EUGENIA M. PARSONS

Its Manager

GARY J. GOODMAN

Its Manager

Assignee

THE BANK OF EDWARDSVILLE,

An Illinois Banking Corporation

DANIEL L. ABEGG

Its Assistant Vice President

STATE OF ILLINOIS)
)
COUNTY OF MADISON)

I, the undersigned, a Notary Public in and for the County and State aforesaid, DO HEREBY CERTIFY that FRED L. PARSONS, EUGENIA M. PARSONS and GARY J. GOODMAN, representing themselves to be the duly-elected and acting Managers of SOUTHERN ILLINOIS RAILCAR COMPANY, L.L.C., and personally known to me to be the same persons whose names appear on the foregoing instrument, appeared before me this date in person and acknowledged that they signed, sealed, and delivered the said instrument as their free and voluntary act for the uses and purposes therein set forth.

GIVEN under my hand and Notarial Seal this 30th day of 00tober,

Notary Public

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NOTARY PUBLIC, STATE OF ILLINOIS MY COMMISSION EXPIRES:02/23/00

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Description of Railcars

Seventeen (17) 4,000 cubic foot capacity covered hopper railcars, bearing reporting marks as follows:

SIRX400231

SIRX400234

SIRX400235

SIRX400241

SIRX400252

SIRX400255

SIRX400256

SIRX400261

SIRX400262

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